

William Cowper, 1779,

Dependence, Hymn 74 66. 86. (S. M.)

Dependence

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Treble

1. To keep the lamp alive, With oil we fill the bowl; 'Tis water makes the wil - low thrive; And grace that feeds the soul.
2. The Lord's unsparing hand Supplies our living stream; It is not at our own command, But still de - rives from Him.

Counter

3. Beware of Peter's word, Nor con - fi - dent - ly say, "I never will de - ny Thee, Lord," But grant I nev - er may.
4. Man's wisdom is to seek His strength in God alone; And e'en an an - gel would be weak, Who trusted in his own.

Tenor

5. Retreat beneath His wings, And in His grace confide; This more exalts the King of Kings Than all your works be - side.
6. In Jesus is our store, Grace issues from His throne; Whoever says, "I want no more," con - fes - ses he has none.

Bass